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ANNOUNCE 'VARSITY DIAMOND SCHEDULE

Eight Home Contests on Fifteen-Game Card for 1921

THREE FOR JUNIOR WEEK

Season Will Open Last of April---Colby Contract Unsettled

THE BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Apr. 28	Colby College, here(pending)
Apr. 30	Northeastern, here
May 5	Holy Cross, here (pending)
May 6	C. C. N. Y. at N. Y. (pending)
May 6	R. P. I. at Troy
May 12	Vermont, here
May 13	Springfield, here
May 14	Open, here
May 19	W. P. I. at Worcester
May 20	Boston College at Boston
May 21	Northeastern at Boston
May 28	Norwich, here
May 30	Vermont at Burlington
Jun. 4	Norwich at Northfield
Jun. 18	Wash. and Lee, here (pend'g)

Announcement was made yesterday by Frederick C. Brigham '21, manager of baseball, of a fifteen-game schedule for the 1921 season. The schedule, in certain respects tentative owing to last-minute complications, was approved by the Athletic Council last week and the Undergraduate Association on March 1st.

The season will open formally on the home grounds either April 28th or 30th. Thereafter will be played an equal number of games here and out of town. Manager Brigham has not yet closed the contract with Colby College for the first game of the year but expects to do so shortly. The list of games announced yesterday calls for two southern trips, of two and three days' duration, for the month of May. The first, covering the 5th and 6th, will take the nine to New York City, returning as far as Troy on the following day to meet the R. P. I. aggregation. The home team will play Worcester Polytechnic Institute in Worcester on the 19th, and on the two days following will be opposed by Boston College and Northeastern at Boston.

The program for Junior Week, May 11th to 14th, inclusive, calls for three 'Varsity baseball engagements on the home diamond, one more than has been customary for some seasons past, a change which was brought about by the impossibility of arranging a track meet for the last afternoon. Middlebury will meet Norwich at Northfield June 4th ending the regular schedule. The management is further negotiating with Washington and Lee for a game here during Commencement Week.

Middlebury will play Vermont here on May 12th, the game being the first of the Junior Week athletic events. The return game will take place in Burlington on Decoration Day.

MASSACHUSETTS GRADS FEAST AT SPRINGFIELD

About fifty attended the annual banquet of the Middlebury Alumni of Western Massachusetts, Saturday evening at the Oaks Hotel at Springfield. The speakers were President J. M. Thomas '90, Dean L. I. Bonney and R. J. Darby '21, president of Undergraduate Association, from the College, and Clarence E. Blake '73. The toastmaster was Alvin R. Metcalf '16. A communication from Coach Dave Morey relative to the athletic situation at Middlebury, was read by C. G. Ross '16.

TEAMS PICKED FOR TRIANGULAR DEBATE

Five Men to Represent Blue Here and at St. Lawrence

COACHES RUSH TRAINING

Plan Practice Contests Every Night for Coming Week

Definite announcement of the men who are to represent Middlebury in the triangular debate upon the immigration question, to be held March 16th, was made Saturday by the coaches. The affirmative team will be composed of the following men who will speak in the order named: E. T. Austin '24, D. W. Riley '24, M. Adams '23, and L. W. McFee '21 as alternate. The men who will represent the negative team are as follows: H. H. Eddy '23, L. E. Klimm '24, D. H. Parry '24. with R. J. Darby '21 as alternate. Under the agreement with the University of Vermont and St. Lawrence Middlebury's negative team will go to Canton, while the affirmative team will remain at home to meet the Vermont negative team.

Work upon the debate has been progressing rapidly under the direction of Professors, Abbott, Davison, Kline and McDonald, who are responsible for the coaching of the teams. It is planned to hold practice debates practically every night until the date of the actual contest.

The affirmative team of St. Lawrence University which will meet Middlebury's negative team at Canton, N. Y., will be composed of L. Russell, Jr., '22, D. C. Howe, '22, A. N. Woodhead, '21, with J. T. DeGraff '22 as an alternate. Woodhead, Russell and Howe were on the St. Lawrence affirmative team last year in the dual debate with Middlebury. Mr. Woodhead is editor-in-chief of the "Hill News", the St. Lawrence college weekly, while Howe is a former Middlebury student of the Class of 1922.

The composition of the Vermont team is not yet known. Debating is being revived with this institution after a lapse of a number of years. Further announcement concerning the debate will be made later.

The debate will be held Wednesday evening, March 16, at eight o'clock in the Mead Memorial Chapel. There will be no admission charge. The public is cordially invited.

WAUBANAUKEES, SAGES AND DELTA TAUS HOLD DANCE

The class honorary societies of Waubanaukees, Sages and Delta Taus held an informal dance in the McCullough gymnasium last Saturday evening at 7:30. All inactive members and pledge men of these societies were invited. Professor and Mrs. Burrage, Professor and Senora Lacalle officiated as chaperones. Punch was served throughout the evening. Music was furnished by Gorham '18, Davis '21, Bishop '22, Prescott '22, Fitzpatrick '22, Hunter '24 and Durkee '24.

Commencement Week Chairmen

At a meeting of the senior class held in the hemicycle last Wednesday noon, the chairmen of the committees for Commencement Week were chosen. The elections were as follows: Class Day, Sam Davis; Senior Ball, Frederick Brigham; Cap and Gown, William Cohen; Canes, Francis Carrigan; Wands, Lillian Deans.

BRIGGS DENOUNCES INDIVIDUALISM IN PHI BETA KAPPA ADDRESS

—Courtesy of HARVARD CRIMSON

Dean Le Baron R. Briggs

Dean of Harvard and President of Radcliffe Sees Hope of World in Acceptance of Divine Teachings

EIGHT ADMITTED MEMBERS

Professor McGilton Traces History of Local Chapter Since Founding ---Membership Now Totals 306

Dean L. B. R. Briggs, L.L. D., Litt. D., of Harvard University and President of Radcliffe College delivered the principal address at the annual initiation of the Phi Beta Kappa society of Middlebury College, Saturday morning, in Mead Memorial Chapel. Professor W. W. McGilton, Vice-President of the society, presided and opened the exercises with a summary of the purposes of Phi Beta Kappa and an account of its growth and development at Middlebury College. Following this keys were presented by Professor E. C. Bryant. to Professor Henri Pierre Williamson de Visme '96, and LeRoy R. Bigelow, Dorothy D. Bliss, Esther I. Carlson, Edith M. Cowles, Arthur T. Harding, Florence H. Langley, Corinne M. Weber, of the class of '21, the newly elected members.

Professor McGilton in his speech called attention to the founding of the Phi Beta Kappa society at Williams and Mary college, in Virginia, the fifth of September, 1776. It was organized to promote zeal for learning and wisdom. A few years later chapters were granted to Harvard and Yale, thus establishing the first intercollegiate fraternity in America. Today it has 92 chapters with a membership of over forty thousand persons.

History of Local Chapter

The establishment and growth of the, chapter at Middlebury was then described. Professor McGilton stated that the history of the Middlebury chapter was compiled by Professor-emeritus Charles B. Wright in the fall of 1920. The Middlebury chapter was the 19th to be granted, and is the second chapter to be founded in Vermont. In August 1868, President H. P. Kitchell, of the class of '25, with five members of the faculty, among whom was Professor Brainerd Kellogg, received authorization from the Alpha Chapter at the University of Vermont to found a chapted here to be known as the Beta chapter. 158 graduates of Middlebury College were then elected to membership. Of this number 11 were living in the fall of 1920. The total membership of the Beta chapter is 306 members. Of this number 34 have their names in "Who's Who In America." Eight new members were taken in this year, raising the total membership to 314 active members.

Dean Briggs' Address

At the close of the initiation ceremonies Dean Briggs delivered his address: "Leading One's Own Life." He started with a quotation from Chapman, "We admire personal liberty" and showed how the development of a progressive ideal in one age would serve to enslave and destroy in the next. "The inspiration of one age is the damnation of the next." Thus we find the leveling spirit of Unionism and Socialism opposing the determination to lead the unchecked individual life. Extreme liberty means classicism and

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EIGHT PICKED FOR PRIZE SPEAKING CONTEST

Judges Commend Men for Quality of Original Compositions

The preliminary contest for prizes in the "Parker Prize Speaking" was held in the Old Chapel Thursday evening. The following men were chosen to represent the class of 1924 in the contest:

Edgar T. Austin of Margaretville, N. Y., Robert P. Force, Brandon, Vt., Arthur K. Healy, New York, N. Y., Ralph L. Houghton, Wallingford, Vt., James A. Hunter, St. Johnsbury, Vt., David H. Parry, Cleveland, O., Donald W. Riley, Hamilton, O., Arthur E. Witham, Lynn, Mass. Alternates: Lester E. Klimm, West Hartford, Ct., Stanton Harris, Middlebury, Vt.

Nineteen men took part, using original speeches and thus introducing a new feature in the prize speaking contests. The judges commended the contestants for their good work.

The judges were Professors William W. McGilton, Everett Skillings, and Vernon C. Harrington.

MIDDLE CLASSES BEST IN WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

With the approach of the spring vacation, the women's basketball schedule is being pushed ahead so that all games may be played before March 17 and points awarded. The first games were played on Tuesday of last week, resulting in a 12-11 victory for the seniors over the juniors, while the freshmen downed the second-year girls 13-10. By Thursday night the sophomores and juniors were back to their usual form with the result that the seniors received a hard trouncing from the sophomores, the score being 27-9, while the juniors won from the freshmen 23-7.

Under the efficient coaching of Miss Young the quintets are developing fine teamwork, and the classes are fairly well matched, with much excellent material in the freshman class, and with strong junior and sophomore teams.

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EDITORIAL

Academic in the True Sense

Perhaps no word in the language is held in greater scorn by the average student than the word "academic." To him it is synonymous with what is dry, pedantic and lifeless. It must be conceded that there is often all too abundant justification given him for this notion, mistaken though it is.

It was, therefore, a peculiar pleasure to have exemplified the true meaning of this term in the fine address of Dean Briggs of Harvard at the public exercises of the Middlebury Phi Beta Kappa Society last Friday morning. He was obviously speaking out of his own vital thinking and observation. His address abounded in keen analysis and shrewd wit, expressed in crisp, concise English which it was a delight to listen to. We regret that there is not space at command in our columns to reproduce the entire address verbatim.

Every college man and woman who desires to live a satisfying and useful life—and who does not—would do well to lay to heart and ponder the sane and common-sense conclusions which Dean Briggs' address contained.

Open Covenants Openly Arrived At

The passing of Second Semester Pledge Day and the termination of the year's formal rushing season focuses undergraduate attention on the question of next year's rules. Although of baneful effects of a divison among the five houses last spring there were several, negative results by no means over-shadowed those of a more positive nature. The observance of the two systems of rushing, concentrated and prolonged, furnished a reliable means for judging their respective merits. If last year the Inter-Fraternity Council had enjoyed a better understanding of the two systems, such as has since been made possible, it is not unlikely that factional differences would have melted in a common agreement.

It has been said, and not without reason, that the day which marks the unqualified endorsement of some form of fraternity rushing and pledging by every interest concerned, will be a proud one for any collegiate institution. Fraternities, because of their organic differences and rivalries, have never been able to devise any scheme which embodied the precise aims of each. Probably the best and most satisfactory regulation of inter-fraternity relations, or any other matter involving divergent interests, will result when concessions are made by each of the contracting parties. Conversely, the most unsatisfactory arrangement invariably obtains when one faction, by right of ascendancy, dictates the laws which are to regulate the actions of others. Clear-minded thinkers who long ago upheld the fundamental principles of democracy recognized the advantages possessed by general contentment, purchased even at the price of sacrifice, over a begrudged acquiesence in a plan of government openly favoring the party wielding the greatest influence.

With the nature of next year's rushing rules almost as far from being determined as they were last spring, the attitude of the Inter-Fraternity Council in delaying to take steps toward achieving some sort of an agreement between the sponsors of the two systems, is unfortunate. Judging from the protracted character of the discussions upon this subject which took place last spring, and, in fact, during several years previous, the fraternities can ill-afford to let further time slip by before commencing their negotiations, if settlement is to be reached before June. Before, however, fraternities authorize any of their number to meet with others for the purpose of drawing up next year's regulations, it is earnestly to be hoped that they will recognize how essential is a spirit of good will and compromise to the success of such a conference. Experience has well taught the folly of holding meetings, when delegates, hampered by a plethora of unpractical instructions prompted by selfish and uncompromising motives, look to other representatives for concessions, while themselves unable to offer even a semblance of one.

In the only game played in the hand ball tournament last week, Gallagher won from Keppler, 3-2. Elmer and Potratz have reached the semi-finals and the winner of the match between Gollnick and Gallagher will also be in the semi-finals. These three men will play for first place in the tournament.

The Periscope

From nearby towns come reports of signs of spring. Several of the neighboring communities announce that robins have been sighted but in all cases they are late 1920 rather than 1921 Models.

Less Glee!

We take it that we are no longer on the Glee Club. The announcement read last week in Chapel by Manager Carrigan has left no doubt in regard to this little matter. It was conclusive proof of our retirement. And as F. W. C. remarks with truly admirable candor, either they don't know a good man when they see one—or they do! Either way we lose. It was a cruel blow but we received it stoicly, comforted by that enduring philosophy, "Many are called but few are chosen" and insisting still that we look as good in a dress suit as some of the chosen few.

MAJOR CAVANAUGH DEFENDS FOOTBALL IDEA

Favors Coffin Suggestion in Determining Duration of Game

—N. Y. Evening Post.

The Coffin determination of The End has long been in style but we question its justification in a friendly football game. Must the sport necessarily be that rough?

The excitement Thursday night was not without its good effects. Our reporter (an upper classman) spent Friday morning pedestriating on the campus in search of a freshman on whom to vent anger for not saluting but the Frosh seemed unusually cautious. Even Mr. Moore, our popular postman, received his share of attention from overly diplomatic Frosh who greeted him in the manner reserved for faculty and upperclassmen.

At any rate we were glad to note that the many curious cases of rheumatism prevalent on the campus disappeared suddenly over night.

And Necy Dorion, local tailor, reports that if there is more such nightly activity by the Freshmen he will have to hire an extra man to help him in his business.

We Hope So, Girls, at Any Rate

WANTED—Savage, lean cat by March 17. Pi Phi sophomores.

—Syracuse Daily Orange, March 1.

CORRECTION

Pi Beta Phi fraternity states that the sophomore ad. of yesterday's Daily Orange was unwarranted.

—Syracuse Daily Orange, March 2.

Nominated to Remove The Hockey Rink

The Frosh who describes a thermos bottle as being filled with a vacuum.

—Pit E. Phul.

The Frosh who wears his little pea green when home on week-ends because he thinks it shows college spirit.

—S. P. Rit.

The benny who takes off his overcoat and holds it in his arm when he is weighing himself.

—D. Umber.

The Library now has a telephone to add to the amusement. If you can't "meet your girlie at the Libe." you should at least telephone her.

Aha! Who Is He?

LOST—Alpha Chi pin on Campus. Return to Chronicle Office. —The Utah Chronicle.

The perilous days of picture taking are over and Gove's Broadway studio is no longer the scene of restless activity it has been this past week. Some day we are going to have the entire Periscope board photographed— Ye Ed., the Dook, and we.

—K. A. B.

CALENDAR

Advance notices of College activities signed by one authorized and left in The Campus Office by 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon will be printed in the week's calendar.

Thursday—
1:20 P. M. Campus Board meeting, Campus Office, S. Painter.
4:00 P. M. Orchestra practice, Band Room, S. Painter.
7:15 P. M. Y. W. C. A. meeting. Pearsons Social Hall.
7:15 P. M. Choir practice, Music Studio.
7:30 P. M. Meeting of Wetherell Debating Club, Old Chapel.

Friday—
4:00 P. M. Rehearsals for Sophomores in Merrill Prize Speaking Preliminaries.
4:45 P. M. Women's Class Basketball games, McCullough Gymnasium. Seniors vs. Sophomores, uniors vs. Freshmen.
7:30 P. M. Meeting of Home Economics Club, Delta Delta Delta Rooms.
7:30 P. M. Meeting of Wetherell Debating Club, Old Chapel.

Saturday—
2:00 P. M. Merrill Prize Speaking Preliminaries, Old Chapel.
7:30 P. M. Outing Club dance, McCullough Gymnasium.

Sunday—
12:10 P. M. Sunday Noon Club, Memorial Baptist Church. Leader, Professor Everett Skillings. Topic, Some Lessons of the War.
5:00 P. M. Vesper Service, Mead Memorial Chapel.

Monday—

Tuesday—
7:15 P. M. Undergraduate Ass'n meeting, Hepburn Social Hall.
8:00 P. M. Women's Basketball, McCullough Gymnasium. Seniors vs. Freshmen, Juniors vs. Sophomores.

Wednesday—
8:00 P. M. Debate. Middlebury vs. U. V. M., Mead Memorial Chapel.
8:00 P. M. Debate. Middlebury vs. St. Lawrence, Canton, N. Y.

Thursday—
11:00 A. M. Spring Recess begins.

COMMUNICATION

February 28th, 1921.

Students and Faculty of Middlebury College,

I beg to acknowledge with thanks your recent contribution of Two Hundred and Seven Dollars and Fifty-six Cents for the Chinese Relief from the Students and Faculty of Middlebury College. Our formal receipt covering this amount is herewith enclosed.

I wish to assure you of our genuine appreciation for your interest in this work we have undertaken.

Will you please extend our sincere gratitude to those who contributed toward this amount.

Yours very sincerely,
H. MINDELL.
Sec. General Relief Committee.

Pi Beta Phi

Vermont Alpha of Pi Beta Phi held its annual initiation in the Pi Phi rooms Saturday afternoon. There were forty-eight present at the banquet at the Addison House in the evening.

The initiates were: Matilda Axton '22, Marion Prince '23, and Lily Axton, Sara Fisher, Helen Lingham, Margaret Smith, Margaret Brown, Norma Foster, Helen Field, Ruth Cowles, Anna Wilkinson of the class of 1924.

The alumnae present were Beulah Wilkinson Brown ex-'17, Louise Willis, Vermont '21, Genevra Caswell '15, Mary Crane '03, Carmen F. Walker '11, Gertrude Moore '20, Margaret Chatfield '18, Marie Champagne '18, Harriet Goudie ex-'21, Mrs. Gooding '03, Mrs. Bosworth ex-'99, Mrs. Denio '96, Alice Fisher ex-'11, Mrs. Brainerd, Iowa Beta, Hazel O'Connell '12, Mrs. Gove '08, Genevieve Elmer '12, Louise Nelson '16, and Hildreth Tyler and Eula Ovitt from the University of Vermont.

REV. HORR OF NEWTON, MASS. SPEAKS AT SUNDAY VESPERS

President of Newton Center Theological Institution Talks on "Faith"

Rev. George Edwin Horr, president of the Newton Theological Institution, Newton Center, Mass., was the speaker at the vesper service Sunday. His text was taken from the second chapter of the book of Hobokkuk, "The just shall live by faith."

President Horr said that faith should be attached to life as a whole for faith signifies the reality of the world beyond. We are the children of God as well as of man, and when we feel the stirring of our blood to higher, nobler things the response to these higher inspirations is in proportion to our faith.

Faith is directly related to our life and character. Faith is in everyone and all the virtues of the Christian character spring from it. Indeed we would be less than men if we lived by certainties. People in trouble are always saying they do not believe in God but in the end it is always to Him that they turn. By faith is man led through all the storms of life to attain the high aspirations toward which he has directed all is hopes and energies.

Alpha Alpha of Delta Kappa Epsilon

Alpha Alpha of Delta Kappa Epsilon held its 67th annual initiation at the chapter house followed by a banquet at the Addison last Monday evening. The alumni present were John A. Fletcher '87, Ira H. LaFleur '94, H. P. Williamson de Visme '96, Duane L. Robinson '03, Dr. Philip E. Mellen '04, John A. Arnold '13, Lacy W. Bump '13, Kenneth M. Gorham '18, Maurice A. Bingham '20, Ralph K. Dunn '22. The initiates were Alfred W. Quackenbush '23, James A. Hunter '24, Charles R. Howard '24, Maynard J. Axtel '24, Wilmarth A. Sherman '24, Paris Fletcher '24, Payson R. Webber '24, Arthur K. Healy '24.

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SOPHS EVEN COUNT IN UNDERCLASS GAMES

Turn Tables on 1924 Quintet in Second of Series Which Decides Date When Pea-Greens Vanish

The two-year men overcame the freshmen Thursday in last week's only class game by the narrow margin 17-13. The game was the second between the two lower classes in the series to decide one of the three points which the yearlings must take in order to win the right of discarding the regulation Pea-Green Junior Week.

The game was one of the closest yet played in the class series and in spite of the traditional rivalry between the two classes was a clean fight. Neither side was able to secure any permanent advantage during the first period, the score at the end of the half being five all. Sikorski featured for the sophomores tossing in three double deckers and seven single counters as well as playing a good defensive game. The freshman five worked hard and led by Axtel, did some neat passing but seemed to run into hard luck on fouls. Capt. Axtel was high scorer for the losers.

The line-up:

Sophomores (17)		Freshmen (14)
Jakway, rf.,	rf.,	Ferry
Sikorski, lf.,	lf.,	Axtel
White, c.,	c.,	Wilson
Kalin, rg.,	rg.,	Corttis
Kelley, lg.,	lg.,	Savage

Baskets from floor—Sikorski (3), Axtel (3), White, Jakway, Ferry and Wilson.

Baskets from fouls—Sikorski (7), Axtel (3).

Referee—Reinbrecht '22. Timer—Cohen '21. Scorer—Timberman. Time of periods—twenty minutes.

MORE CARS FOR TRAINS ON LAST DAY OF TERM

In order that students may be afforded the best train service on March 17, the last day before the Spring Recess, the College is requesting undergraduates to record at the offices of the two Deans the intended hour of their departure on that date and their destination before Saturday of this week. The Administration has received assurances from the Rutland Railroad of their willingness to cooperate in supplying adequate car facilities for each of the trains on that day.

Alpha Chi

Alpha Zeta of Alpha Chi held its thirty-second annual initiation at the Alpha Chi House Saturday. The initiation and the banquet which followed were attended by forty-six persons.

The initiates were Margaret B. Harriman, Marion J. Jones, Beatrice A. Mills, Florence Noble, Marion E. Pellet, Marion L. Potts, Ruth E. Quigley, Dorothy V. Taylor and Geraldine C. Wimmett, all of the class of '24.

The alumnae present were Mrs. J. M. Thomas '91, Rena Avery '01, Mrs. V. C. Harrington '02, Mrs. P. M. Mellen '04, Maud Avery '10, Eva Holt '13, Marion Thomas Whitney '14, Molly Stone Hunt '15, Helen Carrigan '16, Ruth Hesselgrave, Louise Reynolds '18, Dorothea Reynolds, Alice Tomlinson '19, Buena Anderson, Catherine Carrigan, Ruth Cambridge and Mary L. Smith '20.

Miss Martha Butler of Rutland was the guest of Mary Williams '23 for the week-end.

"SONS OF THE SEA"

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REV. H. C. NEWELL ADDRESSES Y. W. C. A.

Congregational Pastor Emphasizes Divine Character of Man

Rev. Henry C. Newell of the Congregational church of Middlebury spoke at the meeting of the Y. W. C. A. last Friday evening. "Concerning Christ" was the subject of his talk. He spoke first of the change in theories concerning Christ and the Bible during the past decade and said that Christ was divine not because of His origin but because His character was sinless and He had a peculiar consciousness of God. He emphasized that fact that we are different from Christ only in degree and not in kind and that the divine spark which came to perfection in Him exists in all of us and it is in the cultivation of this that our hope of immortality lies. The speaker closed by saying that our salvation consists in finding the way to Christ through constant communion with God and through constant prayer.

Mr. Newell extended a cordial invitation to all to attend weekly discussions on Tuesday afternoons in Pearsons Social Hall.

Walter Budd Champlin, Executive Secretary of the Chi Psi Fraternity, is visiting at the Chi Psi Lodge. Mr. Champlin is a graduate of the University of California, Class of 1918.

DR. SEERLY HERE MONDAY

Authority on Sex and Hygiene Will Speak to Men's College

Dr. F. M. Seerly, Professor of Hygiene at Springfield Y. M. C. A. College, will give the first of a series of two or more lectures on the subject of Sex Hygiene in McCullough Gymnasium next Monday afternoon or evening before the members of the Men's College. Dr. Seerly, who was here last year, will be remembered as a forceful and authoritative speaker.

WOMEN'S CLASS VOLLEY BALL TEAMS CHOSEN

At volley ball practices for women Thursday night and Friday afternoon of last week the following class teams were chosen.

Seniors: R. Aldrich, Captain, G. Bryant, E. Carlson, R. Johnson, F. Langley, K. Mara, E. Novak.

Juniors: M. Gaylor, Captain, M. Crathern, K. Finnegan, L. Jennings, O. Ladd, D. Mackay, A. Putnam, K. Rogers, E. Scott, E. Sibley.

Sophomores: M. Kienlie, Captain, S. Abel, E. Campbell, E. Frost, E. Hobbs, D. Kimball, E. Longwell, M. Loukes, C. McDonough, B. Scott.

Freshmen: E. Belcher, Captain, G. Conaway, H. Leeney, H. Lingham, M. Mahoney, R. Nelson, S. Posner, E. Sirica, W. Walsh, A. Wilkinson.

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It was no mere happenstance and by no means a common occurrence for Washington, D. C., to awaken at a little past seven on Friday last and in time to see a copy of the morning's last edition of The New York Times thrust under its door, scarcely three hours after its actual printing in New York. No miracle but just an interesting souvenir of the day of President Harding's inauguration and one which was made possible through the kindly, not to say ingenious, offices of Charles Sherman "Casey" Jones '15 and R. H. Depew, piloting 150 horsepower Curtiss planes. The route was from Hazelhurst Field, Mineola, over Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore to College Park, Md., a distance of 200 miles which was covered in about two hours.

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BRIGGS DENOUNCES INDIVIDUALISM IN PHI BETA KAPPA ADDRESS

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is sure to lead to revolt. The aggregate of humanity must be taken into consideration.

He stated the tendency of the individual to lead his own life, as he so desired to order it. The individual life he compared with the life of nations. We find that a nation will develop to the point where it believes that it should rule the world because of its preponderant strength and high stage of civilization. The lower races are fought, and either killed off or subjected. This he stated is not Christian. "There is no such thing as established Christianity between nations." International brotherhood is despised as a folly. Yet if every nation insists on full individualism, irregardless of other nations the result will be anarchy.

Whether with nations or with individuals the doctrine defeats itself. If everybody is determined to lead his own life nobody will attain his end, and nobody will be happy.

Individualism in Colleges

The doctrine of leading one's own life is often preached to college students. It is partly true; the best servant makes the five talents ten; but the best servant, having made the ten, returns the money to his master. In colleges we see men developing capacities which they ought to develop, but developing them for selfish ends. We see this not merely in athletes but in scholars.

The college student must seek an ideal to follow, but shall it be superiority or equality? "But liberty and equality seem to be secondary to the aims of the average college student," asserted Dean Briggs. The tendency is to get what we can, and lead our own lives. This is a dangerous doctrine. It is the transposition of ends and means. A student enters athletics with the announced intention of helping college athletics. But it often proves to be the case that he uses athletics to advertise himself. And in the same manner a student may pursue knowledge selfishly. The mistake is made in forgetting personal responsibility to others. Self-development is the reward of self-forgetfulness. It all depends upon the motive. Self-development for its own sake is a doctrine of evil and defeats its own end. Everybody cannot have their own way. Some must sacrifice.

Development for Humanity

"There is no full life without human sympathy", declared Dean Briggs. We must put ourselves in another's place, and attempt to understand the emotions of others. To study for one's own sake is not the desirable self-development and leads to its own destruction. This leads to the type of student who is said to know so much and understands so little. A student must learn to understand and to love. The right sense of "Self-development" is to develop one's self for the enlightenment of mankind.

Dean Briggs said that one-quarter of the athletic rivalry between colleges was healthy competition and the remaining three-quarters degrading and selfish. Whether in athletics or academic work no college can hope to lead its own life. He pointed out how through cooperation better teaching of advanced courses in sciences requiring expensive apparatus could be carried out. The doctrine of "Self-development" as preached today if carried too far, will lend to moral and academic decay.

Example of Ex-President Eliot

There is no better example of self-development in the right sense of the word, asserted Dean Briggs, than President Charles W. Eliot, who has increased his own powers and led his own life in dedicating those powers and that life not to himself, not even to his university, but to his country, and, so far as may be, to the whole world. He developed his ability by his desire to serve humanity.

The doctrine of leading one's own life has been proclaimed in regard to women, but as it is sometimes understood is not self-development: it is self-destruction, leading to disloyalty and moral anarchy.

Human Love is Divine

The college rightly interpreted means intellectual and moral health. This implys self-development for the sake of enlightenment and humanity. "There is still room for Him who said, "Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ." "This generation should have taught us the peril of progress without faith and love," said Dean Briggs. "Though a nation or a world shall shut its eyes to the 'law of Christ' the law that 'Whosoever will save his life shall lose it' is vigilant and eternal. Let us give our girls—and our boys—every intellectual opportunity that the twentieth century affords; but even as college men and women let us not be afraid to proclaim that the divine thing in human life is human love."

At the close of his address Dean Briggs very effectively recited a poem of his own composition which he gave at the Tercentenary Celebration of the Landing of the Pilgrims at Plymouth last December.

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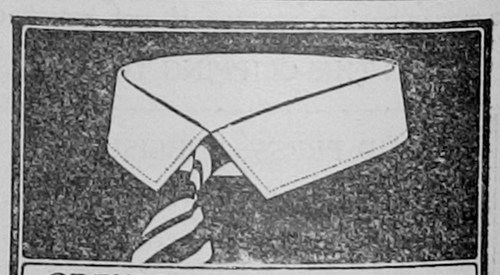

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